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Honorable Gregory H. Woods United States District Court Southern District of New York 500 Pearl Street New York, NY 10007

MEMORANDUM ENDORSED

Re: <u>United States v. Dashawn Smith</u> 19 CR 11 (GHW)

Dear Judge Woods:

I write on behalf of Mr. Smith to respectfully request that the Court adjourn the sentencing hearing currently scheduled for January 3, 2020. The reason for the request is two-fold. First the defense is still awaiting documents which are essential for the defense sentencing submission and the second reason is that Mr. Smith is currently studying for the GED and would like to be able to take the test before he is sentenced so that his studying and testing is not interrupted by a changed in designation. I would request an adjournment two month adjournment to a date in the first two weeks of March. I will be away during the third week and therefore unavailable.

The government has no objection to this request and is currently available during the proposed timeframe.

Thank you for your consideration of this request.

Very Truly Yours,

Application granted. The sentencing hearing scheduled for January 3, 2020 is adjourned until March 13, 2020 at 4:00 p.m. Defendant's sentencing memorandum is due February 28, 2020; the Government's memorandum is due March 6, 2020. The Clerk of Court is directed to terminate the motion pending at Dkt. No. 59.

/s/ Jennifer Willis, esq. Assisstant Federal Defender (212) 417-8743

SO ORDERED.

Dated: December 9, 2019 New York, New York

GREGORY H. WOODS United States District Judge